

Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "IRS Announces Regulations will be Issued to Prevent Duplication of Losses with a Consolidated Group on Dispositions of Member Stock" (Notices 2002-18, 2002-12) received on May 9, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7038. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rules for Certain Reserves" (Rev. Rul. 2002-12) received on May 9, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7039. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Loss Limitation Rules" (RIN1545-BA51, TD8984) received on May 9, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7040. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report that provides the aggregate number, location, activities, and lengths of assignment for all temporary and permanent U.S. military personnel and U.S. individual civilians retained as contractors involved in the antinarcotics campaign in Colombia, in support of Plan Colombia; to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LIEBERMAN, from the Committee on Governmental Affairs, with amendments:

S. 1867: A bill to establish the National Commission on Terrorist Attacks Upon the United States, and for other purposes. (Rept. No. 107-150).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. BURNS:

S. 2510. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to accept the donation of certain lands previously disposed of from the public domain, together with certain mineral rights on federal land, in the Mineral Hill-Crevise Mountain Mining District in the State of Montana, to be returned to the United States for management as part of the national public lands and forests, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mrs. CARNAHAN (for herself and Mrs. HUTCHISON):

S. 2511. A bill to prevent trafficking in child pornography and obscenity, to proscribe pandering and solicitation relating to visual depictions of minors engaging in sexually explicit conduct, to prevent the use of child pornography and obscenity to facilitate crimes against children, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HARKIN (for himself, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. DODD, Mr. HELMS, Mr. KERRY, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. REID, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, and Mr. WELLSTONE):

S. 2512. A bill to provide grants for training court reporters and closed captioners to meet requirements for realtime writers under the Telecommunications Act of 1996, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. BIDEN (for himself and Mrs. CLINTON):

S. 2513. A bill to assess the extent of the backlog in DNA analysis of rape kit samples, and to improve investigation and prosecution of sexual assault cases with DNA evidence; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WELLSTONE (for himself, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. KENNEDY, Mrs. CLINTON, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mrs. BOXER):

S.J. Res. 37. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services within the Department of Health and Human Services relating to modification of the medicaid upper payment limit for non-State government owned or operated hospitals published in the Federal Register on January 18, 2002, and submitted to the Senate on March 15, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. KERRY (for himself, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. MCCAIN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. REED, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. FITZGERALD, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. LUGAR, Mrs. BOXER, and Mr. KENNEDY):

S. Res. 267. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding the policy of the United States at the 54th Annual Meeting of the International Whaling Commission; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. DODD (for himself and Mr. LIEBERMAN):

S. Res. 268. A resolution designating May 20, 2002, as a day for Americans to recognize the importance of teaching children about current events in an accessible way to their development as both students and citizens; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CRAIG (for himself, Mr. COCHRAN, and Mr. INHOFE):

S. Res. 269. A resolution expressing support for legislation to strengthen and improve Medicare in order to ensure comprehensive benefits for current and future retirees, including access to a Medicare prescription drug benefit; to the Committee on Finance.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 627

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. TORRICELLI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 627, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals a deduction for qualified long-term care insurance premiums, use of such insurance under cafeteria plans and flexible spending arrangements, and a credit for individuals with long-term care needs.

S. 813

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 813, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to increase payments under the medicare program to Puerto Rico hospitals.

S. 830

At the request of Mr. CHAFEE, the name of the Senator from California

(Mrs. FEINSTEIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 830, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize the Director of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences to make grants for the development and operation of research centers regarding environmental factors that may be related to the etiology of breast cancer.

S. 885

At the request of Mr. HUTCHINSON, the name of the Senator from Utah (Mr. BENNETT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 885, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for national standardized payment amounts for inpatient hospital services furnished under the medicare program.

S. 952

At the request of Mr. GREGG, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 952, a bill to provide collective bargaining rights for public safety officers employed by States or their political subdivisions.

S. 999

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 999, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for a Korea Defense Service Medal to be issued to members of the Armed Forces who participated in operations in Korea after the end of the Korean War.

S. 1707

At the request of Mr. JEFFORDS, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. AKAKA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1707, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to specify the update for payments under the medicare physician fee schedule for 2002 and to direct the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission to conduct a study on replacing the use of the sustainable growth rate as a factor in determining such update in subsequent years.

S. 1828

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. BREAUX) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1828, a bill to amend subchapter III of chapter 83 and chapter 84 of title 5, United States Code, to include Federal prosecutors within the definition of a law enforcement officer, and for other purposes.

S. 1860

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. MILLER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1860, a bill to reward the hard work and risk of individuals who choose to live in and help preserve America's small, rural towns, and for other purposes.

S. 1931

At the request of Mr. LIEBERMAN, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. HOLLINGS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1931, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to improve patient access to, and utilization of, the colorectal cancer screening benefit under the medicare program.